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Mr. Fred Gerdeman
Governmental Affairs Supervisor
Plateau Resources, Ltd.
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RE: Shootaring Complex
ACT/017/016
Frank M. Mine
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Lucky Strike Mine &
Tony M. Mine
ACT/017/001
Garfield County, Utah

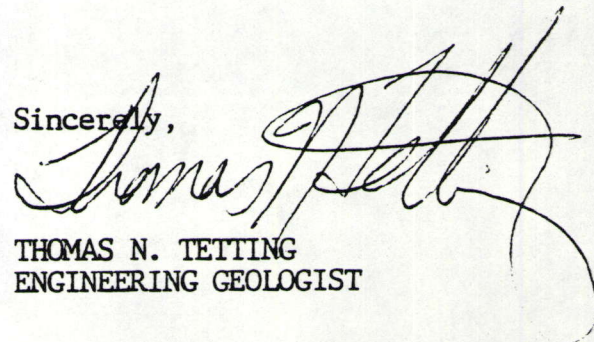
Dear Fred:

Thank you for forwarding the copies we requested on our recent inspection of the Shootaring Complex facilities. I must also thank you for the extra hours you put in driving around the operations. The brief tour of the mill was the educational highlight of the week. Your efforts at reclamation should also be applauded and I hope, since you have moved on to other duties, that your replacement will be as conscientious.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the recent proposed change to Rule M-5(a) of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act which we talked about. If you do have time to provide me with any comments based upon your prior experience in Utah, I would definitely appreciate the effort. As I mentioned, the date for final "official" comment is the second week of August; however, at the July 26 Board Hearing, I will request an extension until August 26 so you may keep these dates in mind.

Again, thanks for everything.

Sincerely,



THOMAS N. TETTING
ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

Enclosure

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